

REMARKS

[0001] Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all of the claims of the application. Claims 1-18, 20-26, and 28-39 are presently pending. Applicant herein presents a substitute oath/declaration exhibiting the requirements as requested by the Examiner. Accordingly, Applicant submits that the pending claims are allowable over the cited art of record for at least the reasons discussed during the interview.

Formal Request for an Interview

[0002] If the Examiner's reply to this communication is anything other than allowance of all pending claims, then I formally request an interview with the Examiner. I encourage the Examiner to call me—the undersigned representative for the Applicant—so that we can talk about this matter so as to resolve any outstanding issues quickly and efficiently over the phone.

[0003] Please contact me to schedule a date and time for a telephone interview that is most convenient for both of us. While email works great for me, I welcome your call as well. My contact information may be found on the last page of this response.

Allowable Subject Matter

[0004] Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for indicating allowability for claims 1-39. These claims have not been amended herein, and therefore remain allowable.

Formal Matters

[0005] This section addresses any formal matters (e.g., objections) raised by the Examiner.

Claims

[0006] The Examiner rejected all pending claims because of a defective reissue oath/declaration. Herewith, Applicant submits a proper substitute reissue oath/declaration to address the rejections made by the Examiner, and to expedite prosecution.

Conclusion

[0007] All pending claims are in condition for allowance. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and prompt issuance of the application. If any issues remain that prevent issuance of this application, the **Examiner is urged to contact me before issuing a subsequent Action.** Please call or email me at your convenience.

[0008] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency of fees submitted, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1897.

Respectfully Submitted,

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